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## FINANCIAL NEWS AND COMMENT

Approach to Normalcy Causes Optimism in Business and Markets.

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U. S. Steel's Wage Reduction and the Cuts in Rediscount Rate Show Trend.

est during the last week one is impressed 114 1 with the speed of the country's return to 29 23 1/2 23 1/2 In examining events of financial internormal basis. The cumulative efforts of the last year to liquidate stocks of goods, to make wages conform to the 133 trend of living costs and to strengthen the bank position are being outlined rather suddenly, it would seem. And vet there is nothing precipitate and abrupt about it all.

wages was clearly forecast by the win- 10 ter's decline of wholesale prices. What has occurred to Reserve Bank discount rates was indicated three months ago, when it was seen that loans at reserve banks were contracting gradually outstanding currency was being retired and account at the expense of foreign buyers of our goods, who were unable to get sufficient credit here. Developments have been rapid because they have been discerned in several fields at once, but they were all the product of steady and persistent forces which began to work as long ago as last November.

The stock market has been busy recording cheer over current happenings. phenomena, which were expected three to six months later. The week's vigorous bond market undoubtedly betokened the accumulations of investors, but it disclosed also the operations of far sighted speculators whose transactions were shaped by the sure prospect of easing noney costs.

As to the advance of 10 to 18 cents a bushel in quotations of wheat futures, one is less certain of the controlling ture counts heavily in the movement of ing cerdit, coupled with the promise of larger exports held forth by rising foreign exchanges, was of considerable infuence in promoting the recovery.

Outlook Is Much Brighter.

Business and the markets are looking month ago; the expectation of enlarged industrial operations and expanded sales at home and abroad has made a material growth in the last fortnight.

In looking for especial reasons for the change the observer finds that some are entirely tangible and concrete, while others are still comprised in sentiment. timent-has been aided by both the concrete and the intangible. Of intangible in the end Germany will accept the reparation terms and get down to business to meet them, and, second, belief that the Administration at Washington is following strictly economic lines in handling difficult problems in the labor and busi-

less fields. To refer to concrete items of recent application to the industrial outlook, there is need merely to note the undoubted wide and emphatic influence of the Steel 

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Big Demand for Treasury Bills Shows Need for Investments.

OIL SHARES ARE FIRMER

Unions and Railroads Agree on Joint Council When Control Ends.

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Capel Court closed last week quiet, the cheerful prospect of a definite settlement of the reparations question being the encouraging factor. Also there was hope of improvement in the coal outlook, and optimism on the floor of the Stock Exchange was such that even Ireland was mentioned in the list of possible prospective settlements.

The big demand for Treasury bills told of the need for investments, and the new issue movement was not upon

the new issue movement was not upon a sufficiently big scale to check the market. Ordinarily the public may not have done a big business and the activities may not have been great, but the tendency during the week favored

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